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AUTOMOBILE SALES VOLUME UP

SELLS 6-8 CARS DAILY -- Vechernyaya Moskva, No 7, 9 Jan 50

The Riga store of Glavavtotraktorosbyt sells Moskvich and Pobeda cars, and Moskva and Kievlyanin bicycles. Sales volume daily is 6-8 cars. Over 800 were sold in 1949.

AUTOMOBILES SOLD IN BAKU -- Pravda, No 341, 7 Dec 49

More than 1,000 Pobeda and Moskviches were sold in the Baku store during 1949. Customers come from distant kolkhozes to buy these cars.

SALE OF LIGHT AUTOMOBILE INCREASES -- Trud, No 14, 17 Jan 50

The Main Administration of Automobile and Tractor Sales Store in Tbilisi sold twice the number of Pobeda and Moskvich automobiles in 1949 as in 1948.

Recently, the store received 450 more automobiles for sale.

Zarya Vostoka, No 3, 5 Jan 50

During 1949, the Glavavtotraktorosbyt store, Tbilisi, sold 1,920 Pobeda and Moskvich cars. This is twice the number sold in 1948.

OFFERS MOTORCYCLES TO ORGANIZATIONS -- Trud, No 11, 13 Jan 50

Kolkhozes, industrial artels and sport societies may now purchase unlimited quantities of Moskva and Kievlyanin motorcycles from stores of the Glavavtotraktorosbyt (Main Administration of Automobile and Tractor Sales), Ministry of Automobile and Tractor Industry.

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NEW BUSES IN KISHINEV -- Sovetskaya Moldavia, No 12, 17 Jan 50

A number of new buses have been consigned to Kishinev. Four GAZ-03-30 buses were received from Gor'kiy. They will be used in Visternichena, a new settlement. Three new 60-passenger ZIS-154 buses will be used on the railroad station-medical institute line. There will be a total of seven buses running on this route.

SELLS CARS, MOTORCYCLES, AND BICYCLES -- Pravda Vostoka, No 243, 11 Dec 49

The Tashkent Automobile Store No 9 has for sale Moskvich automobiles, Moskva motorcycles, Kievlyanin motorbikes, and bicycles for men and women. It also sells spare parts for all of these items. -- Advertisement.

AUTOS, MOTORCYCLES ON SALE IN MINSK -- Sovetskaya Belorussiya, No 249, 18 Dec 49

The Minsk Glavavtotraktorosbyt store has put on sale for private ownership: Pobeda and Moskvich automobiles, Moskva and Kievlyanin motorcycles, mens' and womens' bicycles, and spare parts for motorbikes.

There is a safety-service department at the store, offering service for automobiles, motorcycles, bicycles, and invalids' motor wheel-chairs. Cash payment for motorcycles is not required of kolkhozes, artels, or public organizations. -- Advertisement.

SELLS MOTORBIKES AND BICYCLES -- Sovetskaya Belorussia, No 7, 10 Jan 50

The Glavunivermag (Main Administration of Department Stores) announces the sale of Izhensk, RMB, Moskva and K-125 motorbikes, and Minsk, Penza, and MIFA bicycles at its stores.

OPEN FOR HEAVY REPAIR WORK -- Zarya Vostoka, No 10, 14 Jan 50

The Tbilisi Auto-Repair Plant is taking orders from directors of enterprises, kolkhozes, and sovkhoses for capital repairs on ZIS-5, GAZ-AA, and GAZ-MM trucks. -- Advertisement

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